

**Recognition of Academic
Senates 10+1 Title 5
Responsibilities**

Board Policy Manual Section 6 Academic and professional matters means the following policy development and implementation matters:

1. Curriculum, including establishing pre-requisites and placing courses within disciplines;
2. Degree and certificates requirements;
3. Grading policies;
4. Educational program development;
5. Standards or policies regarding student preparation and success;
6. District and College governance structures, as related to faculty roles;
7. Faculty roles and involvement in accreditation processes, including self-study and annual reports;
8. Policies for faculty professional development activities;
9. Processes for program review;
10. Processes for institutional planning and budget development;

And other academic and professional matters as mutually agreed upon between the Governing Board and Academic Senates.

Academic Senate

Special Meeting May 3, 2023

3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in *Levan Center* + BC Southwest 101F + Delano DST 126

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A G E N D A

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. GOOD, WELFARE & CONCERNS

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

[Action]

- a. April 19, 2023 + April 26, 2023

IV. OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE SENATE (*no more than 3 minutes per speaker; 15 minutes total*)

At this time, the public may address the Academic Senate on any matter within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Academic Senate that is on the agenda or not on the agenda. Each speaker will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes. Fifteen (15) minutes shall be the maximum time allotment for public speakers regardless of the number of speakers at any one (1) Senate meeting. At the discretion of a majority of the Senate, these times may be extended.

Each person who addresses the Senate must first be recognized by the Academic Senate President or designee. Comments should be addressed to the Senate as a whole and not to individual members. Members of the Senate are not obligated to comment on, or respond to, or address comments by the public.

V. COMMITTEE REPORTS (*no more than 2 minutes per report; 14 minutes total*)

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| a. AIQ (Commiso) | 05/03 (today) |
| b. Assessment (Bradham) | 05/03 (today) |
| c. Bookstore (McNellis) | 04/19 |
| d. Budget (Holmes) | 05/03 (today) |
| e. Curriculum (Hart/Dameron) | 04/19 |
| f. EMC (Moreland) | 04/19 |
| g. EODAC (Thorson) | 05/03 (today) |
| h. Equivalency (Bligh) | 05/03 (today) |
| i. Facilities (Kelley) | 04/19 |
| j. ISIT (Andrasian-Jones) | 05/03 (today) |
| k. Professional Development (Dison) | 04/19 |
| l. Program Review (Nickell) | 04/19 |
| m. Safety (Allard) | 05/03 (today) |
| n. Competency Based Education Implementation Team (Melby) | 05/03 (today) |

VI. ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA (*immediate action required, which did not come to the attention of the Senate until after the agenda was posted; requires 2/3 vote of members present*)

Academic Senate Goals

1. Focus on improving Student Success.
2. Foster a sense of community and improve collegial consultation and communication in college and district communities.
3. Embed Accreditation, Assessment, Budget Allocation, Curriculum, Equity, and Program Review processes into the culture of the college.
4. Develop, focus, and review processes regarding grants and new initiatives such as Early College, Competency-Based Education, and Credit for Prior Learning
5. Update By-Laws as needed

BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE

Academic Senate

May 3, 2023

AGENDA

- VII. **CONSENT ITEMS** (2 minutes each: passed by general consent) [Action]
- a. Faculty Appointments:
 - Standing Committee Appointments: CBEIT Program faculty rep + ISER Team
 - Screening Committee Appointments: Kinesiology
 - b. Committee Charges:
- VIII. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS** (10 minutes for each agenda item: all unfinished business items are subject to voting)
- a. By-Laws updates: voting period, Senate committees, and multi-year terms [Action]
 - b. Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Committee clarification/lookup [Action]
 - c. Course Success Rates Institutional Set Standards (Commiso/Wojtysiak) [Action]
 - d. Task Force for Title 5 changes for Distance Education (Menchaca, Rockey) [Action]
 - e. Task Forces for AB 928 and AB 1705 compliance (Menchaca, Rice/Wojtysiak) [Action]
 - f. Educational Master Plan (Rice/ Wojtysiak) [Action]
 - g. Referendum "Majority of Members" meaning [Discussion]
- IX. **NEW BUSINESS for 2022-23 Senate** (10 min for each agenda item)
- a. Senate Orientation Canvas Shell (Matt Andrasian-Jones) [Information]
 - b. Board policy changes: AP 8900 (Full-time Temporary Faculty hiring) [Discussion]
 - c. Chancellor's response to Senate resolution on Reserve levels in Board Policy [Discussion]
- X. **Induction of New Senators/Officers for 2023-24 year**
- XI. **NEW BUSINESS for 2023-24 Senate** (10 min for each agenda item)
- a. Response to Holmes' Cure+Correct of April 14 (must be voted today) [Action]
 - b. Fall 23 Spring 24 meeting calendar [Information]
 - c. Retiree Honoraria (must be voted today) [Action]
 - d. Budget Decision-Making Criteria [Discussion]
 - e. Guided Pathways 2023-26 Work Plan (Howell, Commiso) [Information]
- XII. **REPORTS**
- PRESIDENT'S REPORT** (5 minutes)
- OFFICER REPORTS** (2 minutes each)
- Vice President (Andrasian-Jones)
- Treasurer (McAllister)
- Secretary (Parks)
- ASCCC Delegate (Cruz-Boone)
- BCSGA (Escalante)
- CCA (Andrasian-Jones)
- XIII. **ANNOUNCEMENTS** (1 minute)
- ASCCC Faculty Leadership Institute (June) + Curriculum Institute (July)
- XIV. **ADJOURNMENT**